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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Christine RONDEAU

Application No.: 09/349,105

Filed: July 8, 1999

For: COMPOSITION FOR DYEING
KERATIN FIBERS WITH A CATIONIC
DIRECT DYE AND A THICKENING
POLYMER

Group Art Unit: 1751

Examiner: M. Einsmann

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicants hereby petition for a three month extension of time to file a Request for Continued Examination after the filing of a Notice of Appeal on December 18, 2002. A fee of \$930.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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Respectfully submitted,

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